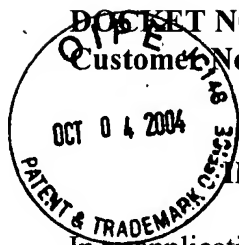


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a two (2) month extension of time for filing a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed June 1, 2004. The response period is presently set to expire on August 1, 2004, and if this Petition for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be October 1, 2004.

A check in the amount of \$420.00 is enclosed for the two (2) month extension fee. The

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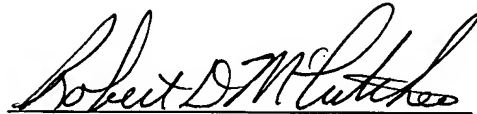
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Respectfully submitted,

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